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L58 ANSWER 1 OF 23. MEDLINE on STN DUPLICATE 2  
 ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002424526 MEDLINE  
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 22168984 PubMed ID: 12180970  
 TITLE: A cocaine insensitive chimeric insect serotonin transporter  
 reveals domains critical for cocaine interaction.  
 AUTHOR: Sandhu Sumandeep K; Ross Linda S; Gill Sarjeet S  
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Environmental Toxicology Graduate Program and Department of  
 Cell Biology and Neuroscience, University of California,  
 Riverside 92521, USA.  
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AB Serotonin transporters are key target sites for clinical drugs and psychostimulants, such as fluoxetine and cocaine. Molecular cloning of a serotonin transporter from the central nervous system of the insect *Manduca sexta* enabled us to define domains that affect antagonist action, particularly cocaine. This insect serotonin transporter transiently expressed in CV-1 monkey kidney cells exhibits saturable, high affinity Na<sup>+</sup> and Cl<sup>-</sup> dependent serotonin uptake, with estimated K<sub>m</sub> and V<sub>max</sub> values of 436 +/- 19 nm and 3.8 +/- 0.6 x 10<sup>-18</sup> mol.cell.min<sup>-1</sup>, respectively. The *Manduca* high affinity Na<sup>+</sup>/Cl<sup>-</sup> dependent transporter shares 53% and 74% amino acid identity with the human and fruit fly serotonin transporters, respectively. However, in contrast to serotonin transporters from these two latter species, the *Manduca* transporter is inhibited poorly by fluoxetine (IC<sub>50</sub> = 1.23 micro m) and cocaine (IC<sub>50</sub> = 12.89 micro m). To delineate domains and residues that could play a role in cocaine interaction, the human serotonin transporter was mutated to incorporate unique amino acid substitutions, detected in the *Manduca* homologue. We identified a domain in extracellular loop 2 (amino acids 148-152), which, when inserted into the human transporter, results in decreased cocaine sensitivity of the latter (IC<sub>50</sub> = 1.54 micro m). We also constructed a number of chimeras between the human and *Manduca* serotonin transporters

(hSERT and MassERT, respectively). The chimera, hSERT1-146/MassERT106-587, which involved N-terminal swaps including transmembrane domains (TMDs) 1 and 2, was remarkably insensitive to cocaine ( $IC_{50} = 180$  micro m) compared to the human ( $IC_{50} = 0.431$  micro m) and Manduca serotonin transporters. The chimera MassERT1-67/hSERT109-630, which involved only the TMD1 swap, showed greater sensitivity to cocaine ( $IC_{50} = 0.225$  micro m) than the human transporter. Both chimeras showed twofold higher serotonin transport affinity compared to human and Manduca serotonin transporters. Our results show TMD1 and TMD2 affect the apparent substrate transport and antagonist sensitivity by possibly providing unique conformations to the transporter. The availability of these chimeras facilitates elucidation of specific amino acids involved in interactions with cocaine.

L58 ANSWER 2 OF 23 MEDLINE on STN  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 2001293139 MEDLINE  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 21264985 PubMed ID: 11062247  
TITLE: Biophysical characterization of the cocaine binding pocket in the serotonin transporter using a fluorescent cocaine analogue as a molecular reporter.  
AUTHOR: Rasmussen S G; Carroll F I; Maresch M J; Jensen A D; Tate C G; Gether U  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Division of Cellular and Molecular Physiology, Department of Medical Physiology, The Panum Institute, University of Copenhagen, DK-2200 Copenhagen N, Denmark.  
CONTRACT NUMBER: PO1 DA 12408 (NIDA)  
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SOURCE: JOURNAL OF BIOLOGICAL CHEMISTRY, (2001 Feb 16) 276 (7) 4717-23.  
Journal code: 2985121R. ISSN: 0021-9258.  
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AB To explore the biophysical properties of the binding site for cocaine and related compounds in the serotonin transporter SERT, a high affinity cocaine analogue (3beta-(4-methylphenyl)tropane-2beta-carboxylic acid N-(N-methyl-N-(4-nitrobenzo-2-oxa-1,3-diazol-7-yl)ethanolamine ester hydrochloride (RTI-233);  $K(I) = 14$  nm) that contained the environmentally sensitive fluorescent moiety 7-nitrobenzo-2-oxa-1,3-diazole (NBD) was synthesized. Specific binding of RTI-233 to the rat serotonin transporter, purified from Sf-9 insect cells, was demonstrated by the competitive inhibition of fluorescence using excess serotonin, citalopram, or RTI-55 (2beta-carbomethoxy-3beta-(4-iodophenyl)tropane). Moreover, specific binding was evidenced by measurement of steady-state fluorescence anisotropy, showing constrained mobility of bound RTI-233 relative to RTI-233 free in solution. The fluorescence of bound RTI-233 displayed an emission maximum ( $\lambda_{max}$ ) of 532 nm, corresponding to a 4-nm blue shift as compared with the  $\lambda_{max}$  of RTI-233 in aqueous solution and corresponding to the  $\lambda_{max}$  of RTI-233 in 80% dioxane. Collisional quenching experiments revealed that the aqueous quencher potassium iodide was able to quench the fluorescence of RTI-233 in the binding pocket ( $K(SV) = 1.7$  m(-)(1)), although not to the same extent as free RTI-233 ( $K(SV) = 7.2$  m(-)(1)). Conversely, the hydrophobic quencher 2,2,6,6-tetramethylpiperidine-N-oxyl (TEMPO) quenched the fluorescence of bound RTI-233 more efficiently than free RTI-233. These data are consistent with a highly hydrophobic microenvironment in the binding pocket for

cocaine-like uptake inhibitors. However, in contrast to what has been observed for small-molecule binding sites in, for example, G protein-coupled receptors, the bound cocaine analogue was still accessible for aqueous quenching and, thus, partially exposed to solvent.

L58 ANSWER 3 OF 23 MEDLINE on STN  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 1999338325 MEDLINE  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 99338325 PubMed ID: 10404179  
TITLE: Ionic interactions in the Drosophila serotonin transporter identify it as a serotonin channel.  
AUTHOR: Petersen C I; DeFelice L J  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Pharmacology, Vanderbilt University Medical Center, Nashville, Tennessee 37232-6600, USA.  
CONTRACT NUMBER: DA-07390 (NIDA)  
NS-34075 (NINDS)  
SOURCE: NATURE NEUROSCIENCE, (1999 Jul) 2 (7) 605-10.  
Journal code: 9809671. ISSN: 1097-6256.  
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AB Serotonin transporters (SERTs) are targets for drugs such as Prozac that increase serotonin (5HT) levels by blocking 5HT reuptake. Although SERTs saturate in the micromolar range, synaptic 5HT may exceed 1 mM. To examine SERT's response to high 5HT concentrations, we expressed Drosophila SERT (dSERT) in Xenopus oocytes and found that transport continued to increase with concentration up to 0.3 mM 5HT. As 5HT is a monovalent cation, its entry through an ion channel in SERT might explain uptake at high concentrations. We therefore investigated dSERT using traditional ion channel methods, including mole-fraction experiments under voltage clamp. We propose that SERTs may function as 5HT-permeable channels, and that this mechanism may be important for clearance of the neurotransmitter at high concentrations.

L58 ANSWER 4 OF 23 MEDLINE on STN  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 1998452505 MEDLINE  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 98452505 PubMed ID: 9779469  
TITLE: Structural determinants of neurotransmitter transport using cross-species chimeras: studies on serotonin transporter.  
AUTHOR: Barker E L; Blakely R D  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Pharmacology, Vanderbilt University School of Medicine, Nashville, Tennessee 37232-6600, USA.  
SOURCE: METHODS IN ENZYMOLOGY, (1998) 296 475-98.  
Journal code: 0212271. ISSN: 0076-6879.  
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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1998452502 MEDLINE  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 98452502 PubMed ID: 9779466  
TITLE: Baculovirus-mediated expression of neurotransmitter

transporters.  
AUTHOR: Tate C G  
CORPORATE SOURCE: MRC Laboratory of Molecular Biology, Cambridge, United Kingdom.  
SOURCE: METHODS IN ENZYMOLOGY, (1998) 296 443-55.  
Journal code: 0212271. ISSN: 0076-6879.  
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L58 ANSWER 6 OF 23 MEDLINE on STN  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 95014465 MEDLINE  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 95014465 PubMed ID: 7523405  
TITLE: The effect of N-linked glycosylation on activity of the Na(+)- and Cl(-)-dependent serotonin transporter expressed using recombinant baculovirus in insect cells.  
AUTHOR: Tate C G; Blakely R D  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Medical Research Council Laboratory of Molecular Biology, Cambridge, United Kingdom.  
CONTRACT NUMBER: DA 07390 (NIDA)  
SOURCE: JOURNAL OF BIOLOGICAL CHEMISTRY, (1994 Oct 21) 269 (42) 26303-10.  
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AB The rat Na(+)- and Cl(-)-dependent serotonin transporter was expressed in Sf9 insect cells using the baculovirus system. Expression of the serotonin transporter caused the Sf9 cells to accumulate [3H]serotonin (Km 78 nM) and to bind the specific transport inhibitor [125I]RT155 (2 beta-carbomethoxy-3 beta-(4-[125I]iodophenyl)tropane) (Kd 0.22 nM). Ligand binding assays on isolated membranes showed 500,000 copies of the serotonin transporter/cell (9 pmol/mg of membrane protein). Immunoreactive bands of apparent M(r) 54,000 (unglycosylated) and 60,000 (glycosylated) were observed in Western blots of membrane proteins from infected cells. The 54-kDa band was significantly smaller than the expected M(r) of 72,500 predicted from the cDNA sequence. The 54-kDa band was shown to represent the intact serotonin transporter by expressing a recombinant serotonin transporter that contained c-Myc and FLAG epitope tags engineered at the N and C termini, respectively. Both tags were present on a membrane protein that migrated slightly slower than the previously observed 54-kDa band, consistent with the extra mass added by the tags. The tags did not affect the Kd for [125I]RT155 binding. The effect of N-linked glycosylation on ligand binding and the level of expression were studied. The expression of the serotonin transporter in tunicamycin-treated Sf9 cells resulted in low levels of ligand binding activity (0.2 pmol/mg) but unchanged Kd. Similarly, mutated serotonin transporters that contained reduced numbers of N-linked glycosylation sites had unchanged Kd for [125I]RT155 binding whether there were 2, 1, or 0 N-linked glycosylation sites present on the serotonin transporter. In contrast, Bmax was dramatically reduced; levels of expression of the

unglycosylated serotonin transporter (0.4 pmol/mg) were 20-fold lower compared with levels of the fully glycosylated serotonin transporter. The Km for [3H]serotonin uptake was also unchanged. These data indicate that glycosylation is required for optimal stability of the serotonin transporter in the membrane but not for serotonin transport or ligand binding per se.

L58 ANSWER 7 OF 23 MEDLINE on STN  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 94134723 MEDLINE  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 94134723 PubMed ID: 8302852  
TITLE: A cocaine-sensitive Drosophila serotonin transporter: cloning, expression, and electrophysiological characterization.  
AUTHOR: Corey J L; Quick M W; Davidson N; Lester H A; Guastella J  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Division of Biology 156-29, California Institute of Technology, Pasadena 91125.  
CONTRACT NUMBER: NS-11756 (NINDS)  
SOURCE: PROCEEDINGS OF THE NATIONAL ACADEMY OF SCIENCES OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, (1994 Feb 1) 91 (3) 1188-92. Journal code: 7505876. ISSN: 0027-8424.  
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AB A cocaine-sensitive, high-affinity Drosophila serotonin (5-hydroxytryptamine; 5HT) transporter cDNA, denoted dSERT1, was isolated and characterized in oocytes. dSERT1 shows little transport of other monoamines and is Na<sup>+</sup> and Cl<sup>-</sup> dependent. Sequence analysis indicates 12 putative transmembrane domains and strong homologies (approximately 50%) among dSERT1 and mammalian 5HT, norepinephrine, and dopamine transporters. Interestingly, the pharmacological properties of dSERT1, including sensitivity to antidepressants, are more similar to those of mammalian catecholamine transporters than to mammalian 5HT transporters. Two-electrode voltage-clamp analysis demonstrated 5HT-induced, voltage-dependent currents. Cloning and characterization of dSERT1 adds significantly to our knowledge of the diversity of 5HT transporters with regard to primary sequence, pharmacological profile, and permeation properties.

L58 ANSWER 8 OF 23 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS on STN DUPLICATE 1  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002:754117 HCAPLUS  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 137:276105  
TITLE: Use of **Manduca sexta** cell and **Aedes aegypti** membrane transporters as novel target sites for insecticides  
INVENTOR(S): Gill, Sarjeet S.; Ross, Linda S.  
PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): The Regents of the University of California, USA  
SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 50 pp.  
CODEN: PIXXD2  
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AB The present invention discloses the existence of novel **Manduca** sexta cell and **Aedes aegypti** membrane transporters that can be used as targets for screening of new insecticides. This invention provides nucleic acids which encode the following insect cell membrane transporters: acetylcholine transporters, **serotonin transporters**, proline transporters, glutamate transporters, neurotransmitter transporters encoded by the inebriated gene, orphan transporters, GABA transporters, and LAT transporters. The invention also provides the polypeptides, cells expressing the polypeptides, and methods of using the nucleic acids and polypeptides to identify compds. which bind to or modulate the activity of the above-listed insect cell membrane transporters.

L58 ANSWER 9 OF 23 HCAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2003 ACS on STNDUPLICATE 3

ACCESSION NUMBER: 1993:463999 HCAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 119:63999

TITLE: **Serotonin transporter** cDNA and protein of rat and human

INVENTOR(S): Blakely, Randy D.; Caron, Marc G.; Freneau, Robert T., Jr.

PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Emory University, USA; Duke University

SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 63 pp.

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AB CDNA and sequences for the **serotonin transporter** of rat and human are disclosed. Also disclosed are vectors and host cells contg. the DNA, methods of using them, purified protein, oligonucleotides, and antibodies which bind to the transporter protein. **Serotonin transporter** cDNA clone BS4E-10 was obtained from a rat brainstem cDNA library, sequenced, and expressed and characterized in HeLa fibroblasts. A structural model of the transporter is presented. **Human serotonin transporter** cDNA was also isolated, cloned, sequenced, and expressed in transfected HeLa cells. The gene was mapped to human chromosome 17.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002:370290 HCAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 137:104092  
TITLE: Serotonin transporter function and pharmacology are sensitive to expression level. Evidence for an endogenous regulatory factor  
AUTHOR(S): Ramsey, I. Scott; DeFelice, Louis J.  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Pharmacology, Center for Molecular Neuroscience, Vanderbilt University Medical Center, Nashville, TN, 37232-6600, USA  
SOURCE: Journal of Biological Chemistry (2002), 277(17), 14475-14482  
CODEN: JBCHA3; ISSN: 0021-9258  
PUBLISHER: American Society for Biochemistry and Molecular Biology  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal  
LANGUAGE: English  
AB We express **mammalian** serotonin transporters (SERTs) in *Xenopus* oocytes by cRNA injection and measure 5-hydroxytryptamine (5-HT) transport and 5-HT-induced current at varying expression levels. Transport and current both increase sigmoidally with the amt. of cRNA injected, but current requires .apprx.5-fold more cRNA to elicit a half-maximal response. Western blots of SERT protein demonstrate that current, but not transport, correlates linearly with the amt. of SERT on the plasma membrane. In oocytes co-injected with wild-type SERT and an inactive SERT mutant, transport is similar to SERT alone, but current is attenuated. The charge/transport ratio reports the differential sensitivity of transport and current to increasing SERT cRNA injection and mutant co-expression. Manipulations that alter the charge/transport ratio also perturb substrate and inhibitor recognition. 5-HT, d-amphetamine, cocaine, and paroxetine inhibit transport more potently at lower expression levels; however, 5-HT potency for induction of current is similar at high and low expression. Moreover, the apparent potency of cRNA for transport depends on 5-HT concn. We postulate that SERT interacts allosterically with an endogenous factor of limited abundance to alter substrate and inhibitor potency and the balance of 5-HT transport and channel-like activity.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002:28544 HCAPLUS  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 136:210944  
TITLE: Psychostimulants differentially regulate serotonin transporter expression in thalamocortical neurons  
AUTHOR(S): Whitworth, Terri L.; Herndon, Laura C.; Quick, Michael W.  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Neurobiology, University of Alabama at Birmingham, Birmingham, AL, 35294, USA  
SOURCE: Journal of Neuroscience (2002), 22(1), RC192/1-RC192/6  
CODEN: JNRSDS; ISSN: 0270-6474  
PUBLISHER: Society for Neuroscience  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal  
LANGUAGE: English

AB S-HT transporters (SERTs) are transiently expressed in thalamocortical neurons during development, permitting these glutamatergic neurons to co-release 5-HT as a "borrowed" transmitter. The high level of SERT expression in these neurons is likely important in the serotonergic modulation of neocortical circuits and provides a system for examg. endogenous SERT regulation. The authors tested the hypothesis that developmental expression of SERT in thalamocortical neurons is regulated by psychostimulants that are agonists and antagonists of SERT. Cultured thalamocortical neurons from embryonic day 18 rats were examd. for SERT

expression until postnatal day 15 (P15). In untreated cultures, SERT protein levels peaked at P3 and were absent by P10. Chronic treatment with SERT substrates (5-HT, 3,4-methylenedioxymethamphetamine) increased both peak SERT protein levels (4-fold) and the time course of SERT expression. SERT substrates also shifted the relative functional expression of SERT by redistributing intracellular SERT protein to the plasma membrane. The subcellular redistribution was prevented by PKC activators. SERT antagonists (e.g., fluoxetine, cocaine) reduced total SERT expression levels and the time course of SERT expression. These data show that: endogenous SERT is differentially regulated by 5-HT and psychostimulants; indicate that SERT modulation occurs via changes in both total SERT protein levels and subcellular redistribution of the transporter; and suggest that some of the actions of drugs of abuse in neocortical development may be attributable to alterations in SERT expression and concomitant changes in 5-HT signaling.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1998:522974 HCAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 129:258072

TITLE: Localization and dynamic regulation of biogenic amine transporters in the **mammalian** central nervous system

AUTHOR(S): Hoffman, Beth J.; Hansson, Stefan R.; Mezey, Eva; Palkovits, Miklos

CORPORATE SOURCE: Unit on Molecular Pharmacology, Laboratory of Cellular and Molecular Regulation, National Institute of Mental Health, Bethesda, MD, 20892, USA

SOURCE: Frontiers in Neuroendocrinology (1998), 19(3), 187-231  
CODEN: FNEDA7; ISSN: 0091-3022

PUBLISHER: Academic Press

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal; General Review

LANGUAGE: English

AB This is a review with 211 refs. The monoamines, serotonin, dopamine, norepinephrine, epinephrine and histamine, play a crit. role in the function of the hypothalamic-pituitary-adrenal axis and in the integration of information in sensory, limbic, and motor systems. The primary mechanism for termination of monoaminergic neurotransmission is through reuptake of released neurotransmitter by Na<sup>+</sup>, Cl<sup>-</sup>-dependent plasma membrane transporters. A second family of transporters packages monoamines into synaptic and secretory vesicles by exchange of protons. Identification of those cells which express these two families of neurotransmitter transporters is an initial step in understanding what adaptive strategies cells expressing monoamine transporters use to establish the appropriate level of transport activity and thus attain the appropriate efficiency of monoamine storage and clearance. The most recent advances in this field have yielded several surprises about their function, cellular and subcellular localization, and regulation, suggesting that these mols. are not static and most likely are the most important determinants of extracellular levels of monoamines. Here, information on the localization of mRNAs for these transporters in rodent and human brain is summarized along with immunohistochem. information at the light and electron microscopic levels. Regulation of transporters at the mRNA level by manipulation in rodents and differences in transporter site densities by tomog. techniques as an index of regulation in human disease and addictive states are also reviewed. These studies have highlighted the presence of monoamine neurotransmitter transporters in neurons but not in glia *in situ*. The norepinephrine transporter is present in all cells which are both tyrosine hydroxylase (TH)- and dopamine .beta.-hydroxylase-pos. but not in those cells which are TH- and phenyl-N-methyltransferase-pos.,

suggesting that epinephrine cells may have their own, unique transporter. In most dopaminergic cells, dopamine transporter mRNA completely overlaps with TH mRNA-pos. neurons. However, there are areas in which there is a lack of one to one correspondence. The **serotonin transporter** (5-HTT) mRNA is found in all raphe nuclei and in the hypothalamic dorsomedial nucleus where the 5-HTT mRNA is dramatically reduced following immobilization stress. The vesicular monoamine transporter 2 (VMAT2) is present in all monoaminergic neurons including epinephrine- and histamine-synthesizing cells. Immunohistochem. demonstrates that the plasma membrane transporters are present along axons, soma, and dendrites. Subcellular localization of DAT by electron microscopy suggests that these transporters are not at the synaptic d. but are confined to perisynaptic areas, implying that dopamine diffuses away from the synapse and that contribution of diffusion to dopamine signalling may vary between brain regions. Interestingly, the presence of VMAT2 in vesicles underlying dendrites, axons, and soma suggests that monoamines may be released at these cellular domains. An understanding of the regulation of transporter function may have important therapeutic consequences for neuroendocrine function in stress and psychiatric disorders. (c) 1998 Academic Press.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1997:321589 HCAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 127:47870

TITLE: **Drosophila serotonin transporters** have voltage-dependent uptake coupled to a serotonin-gated ion channel

AUTHOR(S): Galli, A.; Petersen, C. I.; deBlaquiere, M.; Blakely, R. D.; DeFelice, L. J.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Center Molecular Neuroscience, Department Pharmacology, Vanderbilt University Medical Center, Nashville, TN, 37232-6600, USA

SOURCE: Journal of Neuroscience (1997), 17(10), 3401-3411  
CODEN: JNRSDS; ISSN: 0270-6474

PUBLISHER: Society for Neuroscience

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

LANGUAGE: English

AB Serotonin (5HT) transporters (SERTs) couple to existing ion gradients to transport 5HT into presynaptic terminals. In **mammalian** SERTs, the transport cycle is reported as electroneutral, with a translocation of zero net charge, and 5HT uptake is independent of membrane voltage. Yet **mammalian** SERTs exhibit 5HT-induced currents, and *Drosophila* SERTs (dSERTs) show voltage-dependent uptake. Thus, the relationship between uptake and current remains controversial; furthermore, the no. of 5HT mol $\phi$ s. translocated per ion channel event is unknown. To investigate this, the authors have used heterologous expression of cloned dSERTs to measure 5HT flux and dSERT currents concurrently under voltage clamp, and the authors have used fluctuation anal. to measure the size of the elementary ionic events in the same cells. RNA-injected *Xenopus* oocytes accumulate 5HT, and paroxetine or desipramine inhibit this uptake. RNA-injected oocytes also display paroxetine-sensitive 5HT-induced currents and 5HT-independent leak currents. Na replacement decreases the uptake and the induced currents. 5HT-induced current and 5HT uptake both increase at neg. potentials, where 5HT carries .apprx.5% of the induced current. Recently, several groups have reported similar phenomena for other transporters, in which transmitter-induced currents exceed the predictions of coupled transport. The authors now provide evidence that in dSERT, .apprx.500 5HT mols. are translocated per channel opening, which, at -20

mV, carries .apprx.10,000 electronic charges. These data support a model in which 500 SERT cycles occur for each 5HT-induced channel opening or a model in which 500 5HT mols. and 10,000 electronic charges pass through a common pore.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1997:209096 HCAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 126:288393

TITLE: H<sup>+</sup> permeation and pH regulation at a **mammalian serotonin transporter**

AUTHOR(S): Cao, Yongwei; Mager, Sela; Lester, Henry A.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Division of Biology, California Institute of Technology, Pasadena, CA, 91125, USA

SOURCE: Journal of Neuroscience (1997), 17(7), 2257-2266

CODEN: JNRSDS; ISSN: 0270-6474

PUBLISHER: Society for Neuroscience

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

LANGUAGE: English

AB The rat **serotonin transporter** expressed in *Xenopus* oocytes displays an inward current in the absence of 5-HT when external pH is lowered to 6.5 or below. The new current differs from the leakage current described previously in two ways. It is .apprx. 10-fold larger at pH 5 than the leakage current at pH 7.5 and reaches 1000 H<sup>+</sup>/s per transporter at extremes of voltage and pH with no signs of satn. It is selective for H<sup>+</sup> by reversal potential measurements. Similar H<sup>+</sup>-induced currents are also obsd. in several other ion-coupled transporters, including the GABA transporter, the dopamine transporter, and the Na<sup>+</sup>/glucose transporter. The high conductance and high selectivity of the H<sup>+</sup>-induced current suggest that protons may be conducted via a hydrogen-bonded chain (a "proton-wire mechanism") formed at least partially by side chains within the transporter. In addn., pH affects other conducting states of rat **serotonin transporter**. Acidic pH potentiates the 5-HT-induced, transport-assocd. current and inhibits the hyperpolarization-activated transient current. The dose-response relationships for these two effects suggest that two H<sup>+</sup> binding sites, with pK<sub>a</sub> values close to 5.1 and close to 6.3, govern the potentiation of the 5-HT-induced current and the inhibition of the transient current, resp. These results are important for developing structure-function models that explain permeation properties of neurotransmitter transporters.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1996:580884 HCAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 125:266409

TITLE: Expression and development of a functional plasmalemmal 5-hydroxytryptamine transporter by thyroid follicular cells

AUTHOR(S): Tamir, Hadassah; Hsiung, Shu-Chi; Liu, Kuo-Peing; Blakely, Randy D.; Russo, Andrew F.; Clark, Michael S.; Nunez, Eladio A.; Gershon, Michael D.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Div. Neurosci., New York State Psychiatric Inst., New York, NY, 10032, USA

SOURCE: Endocrinology (1996), 137(10), 4475-4486

CODEN: ENDOAO; ISSN: 0013-7227

PUBLISHER: Endocrine Society

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

LANGUAGE: English

AB 5-Hydroxytryptamine (5-HT) is synthesized and secreted by thyroid parafollicular (PF) cells. As all PF granules contain 5-HT, it is released whenever PF cells secrete. Because 5-HT stimulates follicular (F) cells and can modulate their response to TSH, 5-HT has been proposed

to be a paracrine PF to F cell transmitter. This role would require a thyroid mechanism to rapidly inactivate 5-HT. A 5-HT transporter (SERT) in the plasma membrane of serotonergic neurons inactivates neuronal 5-HT. We thus tested the hypothesis that this mol. is expressed in the thyroid. The mRNA encoding SERT was demonstrated in both the human thyroid and a rat F cell (FRTL-5). SERT immunoreactivity was detected in rat F, but not PF, cells. Transporter-mediated uptake of [3H]5-HT by F cells arose early in development (E13 in mice) and was maintained in adult life in mice, guinea pigs, bats, and rats (FRTL-5 cells). These observations indicate that a functional SERT is expressed in the thyroid, not by the 5-HT-secreting PF cells, but by their putative F cell targets.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1996:756805 HCAPLUS  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 126:87553  
TITLE: Single-channel currents produced by the serotonin transporter and analysis of a mutation affecting ion permeation  
AUTHOR(S): Lin, Fan; Lester, Henry A.; Mager, Sela  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Div. Biology, California Inst. Technology, Pasadena, CA, 91125, USA  
SOURCE: Biophysical Journal (1996), 71(6), 3126-3135  
CODEN: BIOJAU; ISSN: 0006-3495  
PUBLISHER: Biophysical Society  
DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal  
LANGUAGE: English

AB Single-channel activities were obsd. in outside-out patches excised from oocytes expressing a **mammalian** 5-hydroxytryptamine (5-HT) transporter. Channel conductance was larger for a mutant in which asparagine177 of the third putative transmembrane domain was replaced by glycine, suggesting that this residue lies within or near the permeation pathway. The N177G mutant enables quant. single-channel measurements; it displays two conducting states. One state, with conductance of .apprx.6 pS, is induced by 5-HT and is permeable to Na+. The other state (conductance of .apprx.13 pS) is assocd. with substrate-independent leakage current and is permeable to both Na+ and Li+. Cl- is not a major current carrier. Channel lifetimes under all conditions measured are approx. 2.5 ms. The single-channel phenomena account for previously obsd. macroscopic electrophysiol. phenomena, including 5-HT-induced transport-assocd. currents and substrate-independent leakage currents. The channel openings occur several orders of magnitude less frequently than would be expected if one such opening occurred for each transport cycle and therefore do not represent an obligatory step in transport. Nevertheless, single-channel events produced by neurotransmitter transporters indicate the functional and structural similarities between transporters and ion channels and provide a new tool, at single-mol. resolu., for detailed structure-function studies of transporters.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1994:550109 HCAPLUS  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 121:150109  
TITLE: Cloning, expression, and localization of a chloride-facilitated, cocaine-sensitive **serotonin transporter** from **Drosophila melanogaster**  
AUTHOR(S): Demchyshyn, Lidia L.; Pristupa, Zdenek B.; Sugamori, Kim S.; Barker, Eric L.; Blakely, Randy D.; Wolfgang, William J.; Forte, Michael A.; Niznik, Hyman B.  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Dep. Psychiatry, Univ. Toronto, Toronto, ON, M5S 1A8, Can.  
SOURCE: Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the

United States of America (1994), 91(11); 5158-62  
CODEN: PNASA6; ISSN: 0027-8424

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal  
LANGUAGE: English

AB The authors report here on the isolation and characterization of a serotonin (5HT) transporter from *Drosophila melanogaster*. A 3.1-kb complementary DNA clone (dSERT) was found to encode a protein of 622 amino acid residues with a predicted mol. mass of .apprx. 69 kDa and a putative transmembrane topol. characteristic of cloned members of the **mammalian** Na<sup>+</sup>/Cl<sup>-</sup> neurotransmitter cotransporter gene family. DSERT displays highest overall amino acid sequence identity with the **mammalian** 5HT (51%), norepinephrine (47%), and dopamine (47%) transporter and shares with all transporters 104 absolutely conserved amino acid residues. Upon transient expression in HeLa cells, dSERT exhibited saturable, high-affinity, and sodium-dependent [3H]5HT uptake with estd. Km and Vmax values of .apprx. 500 nM and 5.2 .times. 10<sup>-18</sup> mol per cell per min, resp. In marked contrast to the human SERT (hSERT), 5HT-mediated transport by dSERT was not absolutely dependent on extracellular Cl<sup>-</sup>, while the sodium-dependent uptake of 5HT was facilitated by increased extracellular Cl<sup>-</sup> concns. DSERT displays a pharmacol. profile and rank order of potency consistent with, but not identical to, **mammalian** 5HT transporters. Comparison of the affinities of various compds. for the inhibition of 5HT transport by both dSERT and hSERT revealed that antidepressants were 3- to 300-fold less potent on dSERT than on hSERT, while mazindol displayed .apprx. 30-fold greater potency for dSERT. Both cocaine and RTI-55 inhibited 5HT uptake by dSERT with estd. inhibition consts. of .apprx. 500 nM, while high concns. (>10 .mu.M) of dopamine, norepinephrine, octopamine, tyramine, and histamine failed to inhibit transport. In situ hybridization reveals the selective expression of dSERT mRNA to specific cell bodies in the ventral ganglion of the embryonic and larval *Drosophila* nervous system with a distribution pattern virtually identical to that of 5HT-contg. neurons. The dSERT gene was mapped to position 60C on chromosome 2. The availability of the gene encoding the unique ion dependence and pharmacol. characteristics of dSERT may allow for identification of those amino acid residues and structural motifs that confer the pharmacol. specificity and genetic regulation of the 5HT transport process.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1994:290597 HCAPLUS  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: 120:290597  
TITLE: Conducting states of a **Mammalian**  
**serotonin transporter**

AUTHOR(S): Mager, Sela; Min, Churl; Henry, Douglas J.; Chavkin, Charles; Hoffman, Beth J.; Davidson, Norman; Lester, Henry A.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Div. Biol., California Inst. Technol., Pasadena, CA, 91125, USA

SOURCE: Neuron (1994), 12(4), 845-59  
CODEN: NERNET; ISSN: 0896-6273

DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal  
LANGUAGE: English

AB The authors have studied permeation at a cloned rat 5-HT transporter expressed in *Xenopus* oocytes. [3H]5-HT uptake and [125I]RTI-55 binding yield a turnover rate of .apprx. 1/s that does not depend on membrane potential. However, in voltage-clamp expts., three distinct currents result from 5-HT transporter expression. First, a steady-state, voltage-dependent transport-assocd. current is induced by 5-HT application. Second, a transient inward current is activated by voltage jumps to high neg. potentials in the absence of 5-HT and is blocked by 5-HT itself. Third, a small leakage current is obsd. in the absence of

5-HT. All the obsd. currents are blocked by inhibitors of 5-HT uptake but are differentially affected by Na<sup>+</sup>, Li<sup>+</sup>, K<sup>+</sup>, Ba<sup>2+</sup>, Cs<sup>+</sup>, Cl<sup>-</sup>, and amiloride. The conducting states of the 5-HT transporter may reflect the existence of a permeation pathway similar to that of ionic channels.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1990:437897 HCAPLUS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: 113:37897

TITLE: High-affinity uptake a [3H]serotonin in cultured neurons of the cockroach *Periplaneta americana*

AUTHOR(S): Bermudez, Isabel; Beadle, David J.

CORPORATE SOURCE: Sch. Biol. Mol. Sci., Oxford Polytech., Oxford, UK

SOURCE: Archives of Insect Biochemistry and Physiology (1989), 12(4), 253-66

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DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal

LANGUAGE: English

AB Cultured central neurons from the American cockroach, *p. americana*, were used to investigate the uptake of [3H]serotonin. The neurons accumulate [3H]serotonin from the extracellular medium by both a high- and a low-affinity system. The activity of the high-affinity mechanism is decreased by low temp. and metabolic poisons, and is dependent on Na<sup>+</sup> and Cl<sup>-</sup>. Both depolarizing levels of external K<sup>+</sup> and veratridine decrease the high-affinity uptake system, suggesting it is influenced by the transmembrane potential. The pyrethroid insecticides, deltamethrin and permethrin, enhance the inhibitory effect of veratridine. Pyrethroid enhancement is complete blocked by tetrodotoxin, and neither pyrethroid affects the uptake system in the absence of veratridine. Avermectin B1a is a powerful inhibitor of the high-affinity uptake system, and its effect is blocked by picrotoxin. High-affinity uptake of [3H]serotonin is inhibited by imipramine and amitriptyline; desipramine has no significant effect on this uptake. The activity of the high-affinity system is also reduced by 8-hydroxy-dipropylaminotetralin, .alpha.-methyl-serotonin, and 1-(3-chlorophenyl)piperazine. Dopamine, noradrenaline, octopamine, and the formamidine insecticides, chlordimeform and demethylchlordimeform, are moderate inhibitors of the high-affinity uptake system. The formamidine effect is not blocked by tetrodotoxin or picrotoxin.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2001:540674 BIOSIS

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TITLE: SERT biosynthesis and the problems of overexpression for structural studies.

AUTHOR(S): Tate, C. G. (1); Baker, C.; Williams, D. C.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2000:61940 BIOSIS

DOCUMENT NUMBER: PREV200000061940

TITLE: Identification of neurotransmitter transporters from *Drosophila melanogaster*.

AUTHOR(S): Porzgen, P. (1); Sonders, M. S. (1); Reed, A. I. (1);



CORPORATE SOURCE: Ingram, S. L. (1); Amara, S. G. (1)  
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 SOURCE: Society for Neuroscience Abstracts, (1999) Vol. 25, No.  
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 Meeting Info.: 29th Annual Meeting of the Society for  
 Neuroscience, Part 1 Miami Beach, Florida, USA October  
 23-28, 1999 The Society for Neuroscience,  
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 TITLE: **SEROTONIN TRANSPORT BY CULTURED BOVINE**  
**AORTIC ENDOTHELIUM.**  
 AUTHOR(S): SHEPRO D; BATBOUTA J C; ROBBLEE L S; CARSON M P; BELAMARICH  
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 SOURCE: CIRC RES, (1975) 36 (6), 799-806.  
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 structural studies.  
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 SOURCE: FEBS Letters, (31 Aug 2001) 504/3 (94-98).  
 Refs: 53  
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 COUNTRY: Netherlands  
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 SUMMARY LANGUAGE: English

AB Recent successes in the determination of atomic resolution structures of  
 integral membrane proteins have relied on purifying the proteins from  
 abundant natural sources. In contrast, the majority of mammalian  
 receptors, ion channels and transporters need to be overexpressed to  
 obtain sufficient material for structural studies. This has often proved  
 to be very difficult. Overexpression studies on a wide range of mammalian  
 membrane proteins have shown that a few can be expressed functionally in  
 bacteria, but many others require an insect or mammalian cell host for  
 activity or high level expression. The serotonin transporter, which has  
 been expressed in all the major hosts available, is a good example that  
 has given insights into the problem of overexpressing mammalian membrane  
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